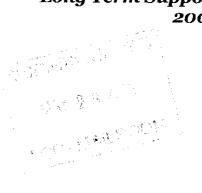
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(ICLS) Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support 2003



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Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that West Texas Rural Telephone Coop., Inc. will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support - ICLS only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below. (Please enter your Company Name, State, and Study Area Code)

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
West Texas Rural Telephone Coop., Inc.	Texas	442166

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.) Signed, Patti Dirks [Printed Name of Authorized Representative] Access Coord./Reg. Clerk [Title of Authorized Representative]

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